TAKES HORSEBACK EXERCISE TO CURE HIS MANY AILMENTS.

But Finds, as Was to Be Expected, That the Cure Gives Him More Trouble Than the Ills of Which He Had Complained.

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Mrs. Bowser stood looking out of the window the other evening as Mr. Bowref came home from the office. There was a strange man with him, and they were in earnest conversation. He had a half guilty look on his face as he opened the door, and be seemed to want to be questioned, but the mystery



was left unsolved until after dinner. Then she quietly asked:

"Well, what have you been buying

"Nothing at all," he replied. "Then you've got some scheme on

"There's no scheme about it. I have simply decided to do what any sensible man eught to do. When a man finds that he is the victim of a dozen allments, he ought to go at it and cure himself, oughtn't he?"

BOWSER OUT RIDING. but as no one but the boy had seen him he didn't feel very bad about it. He had never been on the back of a horse three times in his life, and he was no sooner up than he wished he was down. The boy got his feet in the stirrups for him and encouraged him with quiet words, and after the horse bad walked up and down for five minutes confidence was restored. Then

> "This hoss is one of the easiest lopers in the hull state, and if I was you I'd push him up a bit. When he starts to lope, you'll think you are in a rockin

Mr. Bowser doubted it; but, looking over the back fence, he made out Mrs. Bowser standing at one of the rear windows. She had referred to "bounce" and "Joggle," and he felt that he was being tested. He drew a long breath, uttered a stlent prayer and chirped to the horse to strike into a lope. The horse obeyed. Had the rider caught the motion it would have been plain sailing, but he didn't catch it. There were half a dozen bobs, three or four clutches at his mane, and Mr. Bowser rolled sideways out of the saddle and fell in a heap on a pile of sehes. It was a good boy and a sympathetic boy who had brought the horse around. He helped Mr. Bowser up, insisted that it was an accident that might have happened to the best rider on earth and in various ways encouraged him to try again. The fallen rider kicked at the ash heap and struck at the fence and was for giving it up, but the boy soothed him and made him understand that he would lose prestige if he failed to mount again.

"I intend to, of course," replied Mr. Bowser in defiant tones as he noticed Mrs. Bowser still at the window. "I don't claim to be much of a rider, but I'll get the hang of it in a minute. I think the horse stubbed his toe the other time. Look through that knot hole in the fence, will you, and tell me what you see in my back yard?"

"De kitchen girl is sittin on de ground and laughin herself to death," reported the lad after a look.

"She is, ch? Sent out by my wife spy on me! Well, let her giggle. I'll stick on this time if I have to have my "Of course, but what are your all legs tied under the saddle."



THE RIDER CLUTCHED THE SADDLE.

ments? Now and then you have a | "Dat's de way to talk. When you git toe, but your general health is excellent. It was only the other day that you were boasting how rugged you

"My dear woman," he said as he that I am no hand to complain. If I he determined to run all risks. As he it the last moment. I may have borse with his heel, and the animal boasted of my health, but is it a hussiarted away on an easy canter. It band's place to alarm his wife? You was the rocking chair motion the boy dozen different allments at the present catch it. He found himself bobbing moment, any of which may prove fatal, about and his feet out of the stirrups, dozen different allments at the present but that I am going to make a heroic effort to live on. If you hadn't driven me into a corner, I should have kept my

"I see," she quietly observed as the family cat came down stairs and cocked her eye at Mr. Powser. "Is it a spring tonic or what?"

"I have been recommended to try horseback riding, and this evening I make my first experiment."

"And you imagine you will joggle the complaints away? I think I see you shy and a kick, and Mr. Rower went bouncing around in the saddle and the rolling over the ground and brought stirrups flying."

"Joggle! Bounce!" he shouted as he turned on her with a gesture which scared the cat out of the room. "You'd be sarcastic if I lay dead in the house! A nice wife you are to encourage a dying husband! Why should I joggle or bounce about in the saddle?"

"You shouldn't," she answered. "However, if you are going to take your first ride this evening I hope you'll stick to the alley and that the horse is a gentle one. I haven't the slightest objection to your scheme. Insleed. I hope it will do you lots of

She spoke to kindly that Mr. Bowser recovered his good nature, and 20 minutes later he was with the boy holding a horse in the alley. It was a soft, moonlight evening, and the unpaved alley was clear of vehicles and just the

place for a gallop. "Is this a gentle horse?" asked Mr. Bowser as he was all ready to get into

the saddle. "He's like a lamb, sir," replied the boy. "Excuse me, but you are trying to get up on the wrong side. That's better. If I was you, I'd let him walk pat first, Some felks are dixty when ther first move off." In the in the con-

All ready now."

Mr. Bowser had another climbing match, but in due time he found himself filling the saddle again. Prudence warned him to go slow, but when he walked about, "you know very well thought of Mrs. Bowser and the cook was deing, I should say nothing about got a brace for his feet he struck the was the rocking chair motion the boy now force me to tell you that I have a had referred to, but Mr. Bowser didn't and before he knew what he was doing both beels struck the horse and set him off at full gallop. There was a yell that could have been heard half a mile away, and then the rider clutched the saddle, shut his eyes and bade goodby to things of earth-all except to Mrs. Bowser. The horse set off down the alley with his mind full of wonder, but the wonder soon changed to alarm as his burden lurched about, and before he had gone two blocks he made a up against a fence like a barrel of ci-

It was a long three before the world returned to him. Then he opened his eyes, to find Mrs. Bowser, the cook, a policeman, the boy and a work-

ingman hovering over him.
"I think he's coming to," he beard the policeman say, "and you can set it down that his neek is not broken. What on earth possessed him to ride a horse.

"He wanted exercise," he heard Mrs.

"Well, we'll lug blin home fur you, of course, but it won't do no good. He'll keep right on making a donker of his-self till something drives him through

a brick wall." Mr. Howser was lugged along the alley to his own took yard gate, his back gathering ashes at every step, and it was not mult outsiders had retired that

he sat up and safet to Mrs. Bowser:

"Woman, I understand! I know who threw a club at the horse and jumped me put of the saddle! Hands off! I wandsho more of your help, and the cook is discharged on the span, Follow of its property of the span, Follow of its property of the span, Follow of the span are represented with wooden calves this spring. Thicago News. use into the bouse. I want you to confess in writing to this attempted assassination, and then we will call in the harvor and actile matters."

THE ARIZONA KICKER.

tome Book Reviews by Its Energette

We are in receipt of a new publicadon entitled "Did She Marry For Money?" As near as we can make out she did, but she got beautifully left, After keeping an old man bobbing around for five years, Lucille hears that he has come into possession of an even million. She then tells him that her love has always been his and hurries up the wedding. The honeymoon is only a week old when her husband is



WEIGHING THE VOLUME. sued for a laundry bill, and it trauspires that he isn't worth a red. The book leaves Lucille scattered over the floor in a dead faint, and we are not going to bring her to and ask ques-Let her turn to tapestry painting and make an old man's life happy.

According to our office scales, the book entitled "The Love of Theodore" weighs just 24 ounces. We can't find out that Theodore's love was anything to brag of, and the fact that he loved for 13 long years before saying any-thing about it does not recommend him to our estimation. A young man who loves a girl so that he can't sleep nights, and yet permits her to make artificial flowers for 30 cents a day and attempt suicide nine different times, should be chained up to a Digger In-dian. The book leaves her clasped to his bosom; but, in spite of his long love, be may have found some other excuse to stand her off. We can't conscientiously recommend the book.

A book which will appeal largely to western sentiment is entitled "Found at Last." The daughter of a New York millionatre has had 40 offers of marringe. She knows that every one of the 40 young men simply wanted her cash. She determines that whoever gets her shall get her through love. and the packs her trunk and goes west and pretends to be poor. She strikes a job of teaching school at \$6 a month sud board, and after about six months along comes Popsy Harrison, a young man in a red woolen shirt who is head boss in a sawmill. He says "Gosh bang it!" and "Gol durn it!" and he wipes his mouth on the tablecloth, but she discovers that he loves her for herself, and she gives him her heart and a stack of government bonds as big as a house. Things ought to always come out that way, and we hope the book will have a large sale. M. QUAD.

The Test. another story, understand. With straining ears the woman lis-

She hears her husband enter the headache, or you get a corn on your into de saddle, jest move with de horse. house and walk swiftly through the parlor.

"Ah, me!" she sighs. "He has knocked nothing over! The room is not yet artistically furnished!"

She cries softly to herself awhile and then resolves upon the morrow to buy a few additional londs of brie-a-brae and try anew.-Detroit Journal.

Caught In the Act. Stubb-Did you hear about Fink? The poor fellow was caught in the ele-

vator this morning. Penn-You don't mean it! Was he crushed?

Stubb-Very much so. You see, his wife caught him taking his new stenographer out to lunch. - Chicago

Porced to Economic Action. "I've discovered how these health resorts work."

"How is it?" "Well, when a man gets there and finds what his bills are in a few weeks he either dies or gels well enough to go home. —Chienco Record.

The Satisfaction in It. ... Hicks-You really don't mean that Baldwin enjoys such hot weather as

Wicks-No-that is, only so far as it gives him an opportunity to find fault with it. - Roston Transcript.

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On account of the Kona at Kahuni, the Mani did not start to Hana id Friday morning at 6, She expected to return to Kabului today, and leave for Honolulu this after

Joe do Rego, the Labaina mail craier, reports that when he left La mina on Thursday afternoon a large our musted schooner, which was unoading lumber at Labaina for Hack-'e'd & Co., was dragging her anchor and was almost on the reef. He was not able to give the name of the vessel, and the wire are down, so that there is no communication with Lamina. He states that Mr. Olsen, of is Lahaina stere, offered the native outmen \$50 to row out to the vesd, but they refused. Finally a native named Koko offered to swim out or the vessel for \$25. A note was ecured in a bottle which the native tied around his waist, swam out to the vessel, aclivered the note and then swam ashore in safety.

The loss of the sailors by the Kinau was nearly duplicated by the steamer Ma i on Seturday night when about three miles from Hamoa. The steamer vas traveling at a great rate of speed and the wind and sea were very high. Two sailors, Kaahu and Ha cauki, bad gotton into a dispute on the after deck of the vessel, and com word the men soon came to dows. Ore of them was getting onsiderally the worst of the argunext, when he closed in on his antagonist and they began struggling. The vessel was rolling at a great ate, and in some unaccountable namer the men dashed up against Le tail and were overboard in a july. Companiors saw them go wer the side and yelled that there was a man overboard. The steamer was stepped and a boat was lowered, although it was a very dangerous andertaking. After a short search both men were found. They had given up their fight and were making for the vessel as fast as they ould. When Kaahu was hauled into the boat he was naked, having strlpped limself as soon as he found himself in the water. He said it was his intention to swim-for the shore in case the steamer did not top. The other man was found just in time, as he had not been able to get his clothes off in the water and was nearly exhausted when taken into the boat,-Republican.

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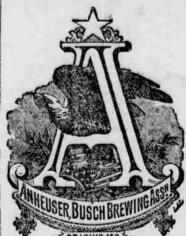
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